

REMARKS

Claims 1-8, 10, 14, 18, 22-29, 31, 34, 40, 43, 45 and 48 are pending. Claim 43 is canceled. Reconsideration of the application is requested.

§ 112 Rejection

Claim 43 stands rejected under 35 USC § 112, second paragraph. Claim 43 is cancelled herein.

Allowed Claims

Claims 1-8, 10, 14, 18, 22-29, 31, 34, 40, 45 and 48 stand allowed pending.

In view of the above, it is submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. Reconsideration of the application is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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